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96TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

INTRODUCED BY REPRESENTATIVES BRATTIN (Sponsor), MOLENDORP, LARGENT,
McGHEE AND BROWN (116) (Co-sponsors).

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D. ADAM CRUMBLISS, Chief Clerk

AN ACT

To repeal section 301.3161, RSMo, and to enact in lieu thereof one new section relating to The
Burnt District special license plate.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the state of Missouri, as follows:

Section A. Section 301.3161, RSMo, is repealed and one new section enacted in lieu
2 thereof, to be known as section 301.3161, to read as follows:

301.3161. 1. **Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the contrary**, any person
2 may apply for special motor vehicle license plates for any vehicle such person owns, either solely
3 or jointly, other than an apportioned motor vehicle or a commercial motor vehicle licensed in
4 excess of eighteen thousand pounds gross weight, after an annual contribution of twenty-five
5 dollars to the Cass County collector of revenue. Any contribution derived from this section,
6 except reasonable administrative costs, shall be distributed within the county as follows:

7 (1) [Eighty] **Seventy** percent to public safety; [and]

8 (2) **Fifteen percent to the Cass County Historical Society; and**

9 (3) [Twenty] **Fifteen** percent to the Cass County parks and recreation department.

10 2. Upon annual application and payment of twenty-five dollars the county shall issue to
11 the vehicle owner, without further charge, an emblem-use authorization statement, which shall
12 be presented by the owner to the department of revenue at the time of registration of a motor
13 vehicle. Upon presentation of the annual statement, payment of a fifteen dollar fee in addition
14 to the registration fee and documents which may be required by law, the department of revenue
15 shall issue to the vehicle owner a [personalized license plate which shall bear the words "CASS

EXPLANATION — Matter enclosed in bold-faced brackets [thus] in the above bill is not enacted and is intended
to be omitted from the law. Matter in **bold-face** type in the above bill is proposed language.

16 COUNTY -- THE BURNT DISTRICT" in the place of the words "SHOW-ME STATE"]
17 **specialty personalized license plate which shall bear the emblem of the Cass County Burnt**
18 **District and the words "CASS COUNTY -- THE BURNT DISTRICT" at the bottom of the**
19 **plate in a manner prescribed by the director of revenue.** Such license plates shall be made
20 with fully reflective material with a common color scheme and design, shall be clearly visible
21 at night, and shall be aesthetically attractive, as prescribed by section 301.130. Notwithstanding
22 the provisions of section 301.144, no additional fee shall be charged for personalization of
23 license plates under this section.

24 3. [The director of revenue shall make necessary rules and regulations for the
25 administration of this section, and shall design all necessary forms required by this section. Any
26 rule or portion of a rule, as that term is defined in section 536.010, that is created under the
27 authority delegated in this section shall become effective only if it complies with and is subject
28 to all of the provisions of chapter 536 and, if applicable, section 536.028. This section and
29 chapter 536 are nonseverable and if any of the powers vested with the general assembly pursuant
30 to chapter 536 to review, to delay the effective date, or to disapprove and annul a rule are
31 subsequently held unconstitutional, then the grant of rulemaking authority and any rule proposed
32 or adopted after August 28, 2011, shall be invalid and void] **Prior to the issuance of a specialty**
33 **personalized plate authorized under this section, the department of revenue must be in**
34 **receipt of an application, as prescribed by the director, which shall be accompanied by a**
35 **list of at least two hundred potential applicants who plan to purchase the specialty**
36 **personalized plate, the proposed art design for the specialty license plate, and an**
37 **application fee, not to exceed five thousand dollars, to defray the department's cost for**
38 **issuing, developing, and programming the implementation of the specialty plate. Once the**
39 **plate design is approved, the director of revenue shall not authorize the manufacture of the**
40 **material to produce such specialized license plates with the individual seal, logo, or emblem**
41 **until such time as the director has received two hundred applications, the fifteen dollar**
42 **specialty plate fee per application, and emblem-use statements, if applicable, and other**
43 **required documents or fees for such plates.**

44 4. **The specialty personalized plate shall not be redesigned unless the organization**
45 **pays the director in advance for all redesigned plate fees for the plate established in this**
46 **section. If a member chooses to replace the specialty personalized plate for the new design**
47 **the member must pay the replacement fees prescribed in section 301.300 for the**
48 **replacement of the existing specialty personalized plate. All other applicable license plate**
49 **fees in accordance with this chapter shall be required.**

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